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For: OPTICAL PICKUP APPARATUS
HAVING AN IMPROVED
HOLOGRAPHIC UNIT, AND OPTICAL
DISK DRIVE INCLUDING THE SAME

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SUPPLEMENTAL INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT (IDS)

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Dear Sir:

Pursuant to 37 CFR 1.56, the attention of the Patent and Trademark Office is hereby directed to the references listed on the attached PTO/SB/08. It is respectfully requested that the information be expressly considered during the prosecution of this application, and that the references be made of record therein and appear among the "References Cited" on any patent to issue therefrom.

This Information Disclosure Statement is filed before the mailing date of a first Office Action on the merits as far as is known to the undersigned.

A copy of each reference on PTO/SB/08 is attached.

This Supplemental Information Disclosure Statement is being filed to correct a portion of the Information Disclosure Statement filed January 24, 2003. First, the attached copy of the PTO/SB/08 filed January 24, 2003, has been marked in red ink to indicate that the correct Publication Date of JP 2000132862 is **May 12, 2000**.

Secondly, the new PTO/SB/08 attached hereto discloses US 6,043,912. The US 6,043,912 document was listed on the European Search Report, but was inadvertently not cited on the PTO/SB/08 filed January 24, 2003. A copy of US 6,043,012 is attached.

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any deficiency in the fees filed, asserted to be filed or which should have been filed herewith (or with any paper hereafter filed in this application by this firm) to our Deposit Account No. 04-1073, under Order No. R2184.0113/P113. A duplicate copy of this paper is enclosed.

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